

# Miss Proctor Will Be Bride Of V. H. Brown

Wedding Ceremony to Take Place in Church of Heavenly Rest Thursday, June 9; Dr. Shipman Officiates

## United Hunts On To-day Saturday Marriages for Misses Margarita S. Ver Planck and Elizabeth D. Lanier

Miss Vouletti T. Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross Proctor, will be married to Vernon H. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard S. Brown, of this city, on Thursday, June 9, in the Church of the Heavenly Rest. The ceremony will be performed at 4 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Herbert Shipman and a small reception will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Proctor, 32 East Thirty-ninth Street. Miss Vouletti is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Proctor, formerly Miss Vouletti T. Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles George Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles George Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles George Proctor.

Miss Caroline Lydia Wyeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Williams, will be married to John Richard Thayer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Thayer, on Thursday, June 10, at 4 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, June 10, in St. James' Church, Madison Avenue and Seventy-third Street. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Dr. Frank C. Thayer, her sister's minister of honor and the bridesmaids will be Miss Elizabeth Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Lanier.

Miss Margarita Schuyler Ver Planck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ver Planck, will become the bride of John Conrad Catus, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Conrad Catus, on Sunday, June 13, at 11 o'clock in St. Michael's Episcopal Church. The ceremony will be followed by a reception and breakfast at the Hotel Gotham.

Another wedding to-day will be that of Miss Elizabeth Day Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Lanier, and Miss Elizabeth Day Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Lanier.

Miss Elizabeth Parke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy James Parke, of Detroit, Mich., will be married to Harvey S. Firestone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey S. Firestone, on June 25, in St. John's Episcopal Church, Decatur, Ill. Miss Parke will be the maid of honor, and Miss Helen McCullough, of Buffalo, will be the bridesmaid.

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Reed, St. Louis, Mo., the bridesmaids. Russell A. Firestone will be best man and the ushers will be Harold S. Bond, of Toledo; J. Logan Burke, of Washington; J. Russell Forgan, Chicago; Criss Francis, Akron; William C. Parks, Detroit; Paul W. Robinson, Robert T. Sherman and Clifford D. Smith, Akron; Robert T. Sherman, Chicago; William R. Stuhler Jr., Monticello, Iowa; Rudolph E. Vogel, Milwaukee; and Paul L. B. Whitney, of New York.

The marriage of Miss Emily Hall Mercer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles William Mercer, of Newton Highlands, Mass., and Edward Gerry Tuttle, son of the late Dr. Edward Gerry Tuttle and Mrs. Tuttle, of New York, will take place this evening in the home of the bride's parents, 48 Erie Avenue. Mrs. Lawrence Dowling, sister of the bridegroom, will be the matron of honor and the bridesmaids will be Miss Betty Walker and Miss Marion Gray. Barbara Nichols will act as flower girl. Kenneth Bane will serve as best man and the ushers will be Alvin E. Davidson, William H. Farwell, Glenn F. Card and Henry B. Kennedy, classmates of Mr. Tuttle at Amherst.

Mr. Tuttle and his bride will spend their honeymoon in Canada and will live in New York.

## Carmi Thompson Luncheon At the White House

**Mrs. Harding Receives Sculptress Who Made Bolivar Statue: Crowded at Curie Meeting**  
The White House was crowded with guests for the luncheon given by Mrs. Harding to Carmi Thompson, sculptress of the Bolivar statue, on Thursday, May 19. Mrs. Thompson, who is an artist and sculptress, was the guest of honor at the luncheon. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross Proctor.

Among Mrs. Harding's guests, received by appointment to-day, was Mrs. Sally James Farnham, an artist who designed and executed the statue of Bolivar, recently unveiled in New York City. Mrs. Farnham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross Proctor.

## Home-Woven Rugs Bring \$15,458 in 2-Day Sale

**Prize of Lawrence Collection, Ship in Full Sail, Bought by J. F. Erdman for \$420**

The C. E. Lawrence collection of hook rugs, which was closed yesterday at the American Art Galleries, brought \$15,458 from the two auctioneers. It was the last sale of the collection, which was the last of the most eventful periods of art history in the auction room.

The collection, which totaled \$11,372.50, saw most valuable of the Lawrence acquisitions offered, among them the best examples of the hook type of rug owned to-day. One of these was a hook rug, made in the early American medallion hook rug, in a design of flowers and fruit, finely conceived and modeled in relief.

Other sales were: A hook rug, early American, to W. W. Seaman, agent, \$800; floral hook rug, early American, to O. Bernet, agent, \$240; and floral hook rug, early American, to the same buyer, \$240.

**Johnson Bids Rome Goodbye Foreign Minister in Throng That Sees U. S. Envoy Depart**

ROME, May 20.—(By Associated Press).—Robert Underwood Johnson, the retiring American Ambassador to Italy, left Rome to-day on the first stage of his journey to his native land. He was accompanied by Count Sforza, the foreign minister, and a large gathering of deputies, senators, members of the diplomatic corps and representatives of the American embassy, consulate and colony.

Count Sforza presented to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson an autographed photograph and a letter of regret at their departure from Italy.

A farewell banquet was tendered Mr. Johnson last night by the Italo-American Society.

**Surgeon Builds New Nose For Girl With One of Her Ribs**

Anna Kaufman, sixteen years old, was one of the happiest patients at the Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital yesterday, for Dr. Samuel McCullough had built her a new nose out of one of her ribs, assured her that when the bandages were removed she would have a nose of superior design and attainments.

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## A. S. Burden, Hurt In Polo Game, Held To Be Incompetent To Aid Republicans

Enrollment in Party Called Most Effective Method of Utilizing Strength in Mayoralty Campaign

Arthur Scott Burden, well known in society and as a polo player, was adjudged mentally incompetent by a jury in Sheriff Knott's court yesterday. Mr. Burden, who is forty-one years old, was committed to Bloomingdale Asylum in April, 1920. His brother, James A. Burden, of Troy, N. Y., president of the Burden Iron Works and clubman, was the petitioner. The purpose of the proceeding yesterday was to have the patient judicially declared incompetent so that the Supreme Court might appoint a committee of his person and property.

James A. Burden testified that his brother's present condition is due to a fall from a horse in 1913 during a polo game. The victim of the accident landed on his head and his mental condition since then has become gradually worse.

Medical testimony was given by Dr. William L. Russell, superintendent of Bloomingdale Asylum, and Dr. George Draper, who agreed that the patient could not manage his affairs. Dr. Russell testified that Mr. Burden seldom speaks unless addressed, that he does not know the character of the place he is in and sometimes thinks it is a club.

James A. Burden testified regarding his brother's financial status; that he has trust interests in the estate of his father and mother and maternal grandfather. The witness said that his father bought his brother a seat on the Stock Exchange. His jewelry consists of a watch, a pocket and cuff links, worth about \$250, and his only other personal effects are some furniture.

Mrs. Cynthia Burden, wife of the incompetent, is now in Europe with her daughter, Elleen, fourteen years old. Mrs. Burden was Miss Burke-Roche, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Booth by Burke-Roche, her father being the second son of the late Baron Fernoy.

Her maternal grandfather was Frank Work, financier and horseman, who left an estate of more than \$15,000,000.

**26 Tablets To Be Unveiled In Hall of Fame To-day**

Twenty-six tablets in honor of American men and women will be unveiled at the Hall of Fame at New York University this afternoon. Elections for the Hall of Fame are held every fifth year, the fifth in the series having been held in 1920. Seven names were chosen at that election and the other nineteen at the previous elections. They will all be unveiled to-day.

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William R. Hearst paid the highest figure so far for the purchase of a large and unusually fine Greco-Egyptian bronze statuette of Hathor, the divine representative of woman and goddess of the sky in early mythology. The statuette from the H. C. Parker collection sold for \$430.

Other sales were of a fine six-sided Rakka tabouret of turquoise glaze, decorated with pressed ornaments, to J. Mills for \$195, and a small Roman landscape painting from the wall decorations at Boscoreale, Pompeii, to the same buyer for \$165.

**Saves Women, Loses Life**

**Thrusts Wife and Her Mother Aside as Auto Hits Him**

Adolph Heller, of 138 East Thirty-first Street, was injured fatally last night in saving his wife and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Anna M. Myers, from an automobile at Fifth Avenue and Third Street. He died in Bellevue Hospital from a fracture of the skull.

# Harding Hands Gift of Radium To Mme. Curie

Pays High Tribute to Her as He Presents \$100,000 Token From U. S. Women at White House Ceremony

## Many Notables in Throng Scientist Accepts Phial in Hope That She May Use It to Benefit Mankind

From The Tribune's Washington Bureau. WASHINGTON, May 20.—From the hands of the President of the United States Mme. Curie, the French-Polish scientist, received in the White House to-day a gram of radium valued at \$100,000. The presentation was made in the presence of a brilliant company which filled the East Room. The kindly, motherly appearing woman, who discovered radium but who never hoped to own a particle, responded feelingly to the President's address accompanying the presentation. Following the presentation ceremonies, which took less than a half hour, the President and Mrs. Harding, Mme. Curie and her two daughters, with the French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, received the guests in the Blue Room.

The radium, in a small locked box, was handed to President Harding by Mrs. William Brown Meloney, of New York, chairman of the Mme. Curie Radium Fund Committee, which collected money to make the gift possible from thousands of American women.

Escorted by French Envoy

As Mme. Curie entered the East Room on the arm of Ambassador Jusserand the company rose in tribute to the French Ambassador in a brief presentation speech said that the American people possessed a warmheartedness all its own which it extended on occasion to do good. He described briefly how American women learned that the discoverer of radium possessed none for herself and that she was anxious to supply her. The President spoke as follows:

"Mme. Curie: It is with an especial satisfaction that I perform the pleasant duty which has been assigned to me to-day. On behalf of the American people I greet and welcome you to our country, in which you will everywhere find the most cordial reception. We welcome you as an honored daughter of France, our earliest supporter among the great nations. We greet you as a native born daughter of the oldest of the great nations, and always bound by ties of closest sympathy to our own Republic. In you we see the representative of Poland, the land of the greatest of our scientists, and of France, valiantly fighting in the high estate which has ever been its right."

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He held a commission in the Harvard eleven at one time, and for many years was referee of the Yale-Princeton football games.

Dr. Brooks organized the Massachusetts Guard to the relief of Halifax, N. S., after the explosion there in 1917. His design for a stretcher for the wounded was used in the transfer of wounded overseas.

Justice Gould presided at both trials in the cases of Julius W. Arnstein and others, charged with having brooked stolen securities from the District of Columbia for disposal.

Justice Gould was born in Lower Horton, N. S., and was sixty-two years of age. He had been on the District Supreme bench since 1912, having previously served as United States Attorney for the District of Columbia, and before that in the Maryland House of Delegates. He held degrees from Amherst and Georgetown universities and occupied a chair in the law department of the latter institution from 1901.

CHARLES T. PAGE ATLANTA, Ga., May 20.—Charles T. Page, said to be the oldest professional baseball player in the world, died at his home, 100 Brookline Avenue, at 10 o'clock to-day. He was fifty years of age. With A. G. Spalding he formed the Rockford Forest City club and played first base on that team. He afterward became a part owner of the Chicago National League team.

FRANK C. LANG Frank C. Lang, a lawyer, prominent in the city of New York, died at his home at 115 Arlington Avenue, Brooklyn, of thrombosis, after an illness of six months.

Mr. Lang, who was seventy-eight years of age, was born in Germany, coming to this country at the age of seven. During the Civil War he served as a lieutenant in a New York cavalry regiment. He was a member of the law firm of Sackett & Lang since 1875, and was formerly connected with the firm of Sackett, Webster & Sackett. He was an organizer of the New York Savings Bank.

He is survived by two sons, two daughters and two grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Monday, May 23, at 10 o'clock, at the Trinity P. E. Church, in Brooklyn. Interment will be private.

HENRY BLOCK Henry Block, vice-president of the Continental Bank of New York with which he had been connected for the last thirty years, died at his home at 100 Brookline Avenue, at 10 o'clock to-day. He was eighty-five years of age.

He was a member of the Harmonie Club and the Hollywood Golf Club and a veteran of the Civil War.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon from his late home.

Miss Lena R. Curtis Married To Colonel Poillon in Paris

PARIS, May 20.—Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Poillon, military attaché at the American Embassy in Bucharest, married here to-day Miss Lena R. Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis, of 986 Fifth Avenue, New York City. The ceremony took place at the American Church of the Trinity, and was witnessed by Marshal Foch, General Gouraud and other prominent in the American colony here.

Benedict Will Probated

WATERBURY, Conn., May 20.—The will of Amelia A. Benedict, disposing of an estate valued at \$400,000, was admitted to probate here to-day. Bequests include Smith College, \$10,000; Boston Seamen's Friend Society, \$5,000; Congregational Church of Waterbury, \$10,000; Congregational Church Building Society, New York, \$5,000; Congregational Sunday School Extension Society, New York, \$5,000.

Going On To-day

DAY American Museum of Natural History, admission free. Metropolitan Museum of Art, admission free. New York Historical Society, 170 Central Park West, admission free. Aquarium, admission free. Museum, admission free. Zoological Park, admission free. Convention of National Coat Association, Waldorf-Astoria, 10 o'clock.

Exhibition of modern and post-impressionist paintings, Metropolitan Museum of Art, admission free. Exhibition of modern prints and drawings, Metropolitan Museum of Art, admission free.

Annual outdoor community spring celebration of the sun institute of Art, 155 East Fifty-fifth Street, at Seventh Avenue, 10 o'clock. Meeting of Greek Shortland Teachers' Association, 285 Fifth Avenue, 2 o'clock.

Reception and dinner by American Jewish Physicians' Committee for the establishment of a medical department of the Hebrew University, 10 o'clock. Professor Chaim Weizmann, to Professor Chaim Weizmann, 8 o'clock. Dinner Club, 10 o'clock. Jewish Advertising Club, at the club, 7 o'clock.

Spring festival and dance of the Iowa Society of New York, Hotel Plaza, 8:15 o'clock. Address by Professor Leo Honnor on "The Jewish Contribution to Civilization," Central Park, 8:15 o'clock. Meeting of the Opatowich Society of the City of New York, Hotel Plaza, 8 o'clock.

Installation of the Rev. George Adams as associate minister of the First Reformed Episcopal Church, Fifth Street, east of Second Avenue, 8 o'clock. Meeting of the Opatowich Society of the City of New York, Hotel Plaza, 8 o'clock.

Birth, Engagement, Marriage, Death and In Memoriam Notices may be telephoned to The Tribune any time up to midnight for insertion in the next day's paper. Telephone Beekman 3000.

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